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In re application of

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Examiner Suk San Foong

SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE FOR INCREASING ACCESS SPEED THEREOF

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 3, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Cancel claims 14-22.

## REMARKS

Responsive to the requirement for restriction, applicant elects Group II, claims 1-13, drawn to devices, without traverse.

Non-elected claims 14-22 are cancelled herewith but may be made the subject of a divisional application to be filed at any time during the pendency of the present application.